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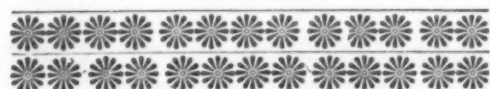
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## THEATRICAL FACTS—

WITH A FEW CALCIUM FLASHES IN BETWEEN

## —FOOTLIGHT FANCIES

Items of Interest About the Clever Entertainers Who Play in the  
Halls and Continuous Houses.

LET POLICE GAZETTE READERS KNOW ABOUT YOU.

All Professionals Are Invited to Send in Brief Paragraphs About Themselves or  
Their Acts for Publication on This Page.

May Watson will play parks and fairs with  
her single trapeze act this season.

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Clara Bonne and Dan H. Rowe are doing  
their new sketch "A French Singer."

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Foster and Anderson are playing dates  
through Missouri with great success.

☆☆

The Sohlskes and their five "picks" were  
engaged as a special feature for the "In Atlantic City"  
Company, at the Alhambra, Milwaukee. They intro-

Edwin T. Elliott will do his specialty with  
Shepard's Minstrel Jubilee this summer.

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The Klint-Hearn company did a fine week's  
business at the Academy of Music, Allentown, Pa.

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Lotta Gladstone has gone West to play the  
Kohl and Castle Theatres in St. Louis and Chicago.

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Fred and Nellie Daly, after a very successful  
season of thirty-four weeks with "A Sleeping City,"  
have returned to New York. They have a new act



LIBBIE BLONDELL.

Charming Young Woman who has Helped to make "The Katzenjammer Kids" Famous.

duced their specialty during the action of the piece and  
scored a pronounced success.

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Murphy and Nolan have rejoined the Eastern  
Rents-Santley company.

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Adelaide Herrman was the headliner at Ker-  
nan's Auditorium last week.

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Tom McMahon and his wife are playing at  
Springfield, Mass., this week.

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Hill and Edmunds are in their fourth month  
at the Imperial Theatre, Tampa, Fla.

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Gertie Golden has entirely recovered from  
her long and severe illness and will shortly resume  
work in vaudeville.

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Frank Turner reports that his pickaninnies  
and Pauline Moran are making a big hit on the Or-  
pheum circuit.

☆☆

Lillian Maynard and Kitty Gilmore have  
joined hands and will do a sister act. They have signed  
with John Kernell in "The Hustler."

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Bonita played Keith's Providence and scored  
a pronounced hit. She has lost only three weeks in  
seven months. She is booked solid until August.

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New York.

Buckley. The former policy of refined vaudeville  
will be continued, and the season will open June 3.

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Alf. Holt is once more in vaudeville.

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Anna Kenwick opens on the Keith circuit  
next week.

☆☆

Daisy Lovering made a hit at Poli's New  
Haven Theatre last week.

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Earl C. Way and Madge Maitland have a  
new sketch called "A Deal on 'Change.'"

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The Denning Sisters have signed for the rest  
of the season with the Gay New York Burlesquers.

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Thomas Marshall and Olga Lorraine are at  
work on a new comedy sketch, "A Rough Proposi-  
tion."

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Lorraine Armour and Charles Baguley are  
said to be making a hit with their singing sketch, "The  
Brigand's Bride."

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Little Elsie, the clever little child imper-  
sonator, was one of the features at Proctor's Leland,  
Albany, last week.

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Joseph Herdic, musical director, and his  
wife have been engaged for Harry Williams' Imperial  
Burlesquers next season.

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Brooks and Denton's fourteenth annual  
banjo concert will occur at the Madison Square Garden  
Concert Hall on April 27.

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Frank Whitman, the dancing violinist, scored  
a big hit at Keith's Theatre, Boston, in his grotesque  
but artistic musical act.

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Georgia Gardner, assisted by Joseph Mad-  
dern, opened in Kansas City at the Orpheum on April  
8 in "A Wife's Stratagem."

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Hanson and Nelson have just finished en-  
gagements on the Kohl and Castle, Orpheum and  
Moore circuits, with much success.

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St. George Hussey will return to vaudeville  
in a sketch entitled "Tit-Bits." She will be assisted  
by C. F. Lorraine and Walter Thompson.

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Dave Livingston will work alone in the fu-  
ture doing his tramp specialty, as the team of Carroll  
and Livingston has dissolved partnership.

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J. T. Ray has finished a tour of the New  
England circuit. His rural stories and eccentric  
dancing are said to have made a big hit.

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Elmer and Kernan, a clever musical team,  
have a two months' engagement at The Palace, Tuc-  
son. They open in Nogales, Ariz., April 15.

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George Scanlon and Pearl Stevens are having  
a new act written for them by Horwitz and Bowers,  
which they will produce in Chicago May 14.

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Frank Binney, the late manager of the New  
Alhambra Music Hall, Savannah, Ga., will play dates  
with his wife, Kitty, for the balance of the season.

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The Crane Brothers have closed with the  
Grasshopper Burlesquers. During the summer they  
will play the vaudevilles with their clever specialty.

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Seymour and Adams have signed for thirty  
weeks with the Great Oriental Carnival company, of  
Cleveland, O., to produce their specialty and pant-  
mime.

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Ziska, the magician, has just finished sev-  
eral successful weeks on the Orpheum circuit. His  
new act working in one, was highly praised by the  
Omaha papers.

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The Doherty Sisters are making a big hit  
with Hayes and Lytton's "A Wise Guy" Company.  
They have been re-engaged for next season, and will  
play dates all summer.

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Harry Bowley and Violet Barney are re-  
hearsing for immediate production a new comedy  
sketch, "A Miss Sherlock Holmes," by George Tag-  
gart and George Totten Smith.

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Mr. G. O. McFarland, manager of the Grand  
Opera House, at Butte, Mont., is one of the most en-  
terprising managers in the West. He always has all  
the first-class shows billed at the Grand.

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Bruno and Nina have left the National Thea-  
tre company and will play dates till July, when they  
join the Van Dyke and Eaton company for the season  
as vaudeville features between the acts.

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Francesa Redding is having a most success-  
ful season with "Her Friend From Texas," by Will M.  
Cressy. John Alden has made a pronounced hit as  
the dashing captain. Louis A. Simon continues to give  
his artistic performance of Willie Wilkins.

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Bertha Welby and company, in "A Little  
Brick," played to large and enthusiastic houses at the  
Casto Theatre, Fall River. Each member of the com-  
pany made a hit. Manager Haynes was so well  
pleased with the success of the attraction that he  
has given Miss Welby a return date before the season  
closes.

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# HOW CLEVER THIEVES

—IN GEM-LADEN KIMBERLY, SOUTH AFRICA—

## STEAL BIG DIAMONDS

Queer Story of How a Man Sewed Up Valuable Stones in the Hide of His Pet Dane---Hollow Boot Heels a Good Place.

## HOW INGENIOUS NATIVES SMUGGLE A FORTUNE.

An Enterprising Man, Who Wanted to Buy the Cemetery Because He Discovered Diamonds in the Bodies of the Negroes Who Were Buried There.

In these days of Boer and British warfare, anything concerning South Africa is of interest to the public. Before hostilities there were probably more ingenious thieves in Kimberley than in any two cities of its size on the globe, and they were all after diamonds, too.

One day a Frenchman appeared at Kimberley. He wore boots fitted with Parisian heels, two inches or more in height. A trifling matter of being seen talking very confidentially with a native woman directed attention to him. His boot heels were hollow and filled with diamonds.

A man well known about Kimberley used to go to Europe three or four times a year. He always had a magnificent Great Dane with him. One night at a Kimberley club, while the master was playing billiards, his dog kept digging at himself with his hind leg. On looking at the sore spot a long slit was found in the dog's skin sewn with silk. The threads were cut and out dropped a diamond. When the dog's hair was shaved off it was found that his body was literally covered with the scars of incisions in which diamonds had been placed and smuggled out of the country.

A peculiar story is told how a very rich old Boer, whose daughter was about to marry, had a very large yellow diamond worth \$25,000 cut and polished for a present. The stone was placed in a metal clip attached to a long steel wire, which was stuck in the centre of the dining table during the feast. They were having a jolly time when all at once the stone was missed. Every one was searched, but it couldn't be found.

Some one suggested that possibly the pet ostrich of the girl, which had been in and out of the room a dozen times, had swallowed it. The bird was worth \$4,000. A doctor suggested opening the gizzard, and taking the chance of the bird's living. This was done, and the bird lived. But the strong gastric juices of the stomach of the creature which thrives on scorpions, nails and stones had so affected the surface of the stone that it was simply honeycombed, and on being recut and polished was not worth more than two-thirds the original amount.

The natives employed in the mines are compelled to work naked to prevent them from concealing and carrying away the rich booty, but even with that precaution it is impossible to stop robbery. Working with pick and shovel, a native breaks a piece of earth down which shows a stone somewhere in the break, and to secure this all his energies are turned. He changes his footing for the next stroke, puts his foot over the diamond, and, without losing time and attracting attention in any way, wriggles that stone loose, picks it up with his toes, and waits until he sees a chance to catch it in his hand and pass it to his mouth, ear, or any part of his body which will hide it till he leaves the mine at night. If nothing else can be done, he swallows it. But these tiny, sharp-edged stones cut like glass, and fatal ulceration is very common among the negroes, the cause of death being put down to fever, until one day the problem was solved.

A well known man at the mines had two native servants, one of whom made money enough to retire, and went up country to found a home by buying a wife. The remaining servant stayed on, until one day a large and valuable uncut diamond vanished, and the most exhaustive search failed to reveal the hiding place. The servant was under suspicion, but nothing could be proven against him.

Later his remaining native servant died, and later still word came from the married native that if the master wished to find his diamond he must find his dead servant. In the meantime his dead servant had been taken to the native cemetery, rolled up in a blanket or a piece of cloth and put in a shallow grave.

With a pick and shovel he dug up several bodies and examined them for the missing stone. The next day he went to the head municipal officer of Kimberley and wanted to buy the cemetery. The truth of the matter

was that he had examined nine bodies and found diamonds in every one.

The cemetery wasn't sold, but it was well worked.

### "SEEKER, JR."

[WITH PORTRAIT.]

An interesting member of the Seeker Trio is Seeker, Jr., a diminutive colored youngster known as the original German pickaninny. For the past twenty weeks he has been playing Topsy in the Bailey "Uncle Tom's Cabin" Company, throughout the West. He lives with the Seekers at their home at Lebanon, O.

### MR. AND MRS. P. A. WEAST.

[WITH PORTRAIT.]

Mr. P. A. Weast, who is photographed with his handsome wife, is the owner and manager of the well-known Weast Theatre at Peoria, Ill., the only first-class vaudeville house in the city. Personally, he is a very popular man and an all-around good fellow.

### E. M. FRIEND.

[WITH PORTRAIT.]

E. M. Friend is not only a clever lawyer but a popular man about town, and an inveterate "first nighter" at the theatre. He is of the new school, and has been made famous by having appeared as counsel in many



LAFAYETTE.

Clever Performer Who Has Created a Sensation in Vaudeville.

celebrated criminal trials. He has a decided leaning towards events of a sporting character, and is always on hand at a boxing match. He has many friends in the theatrical profession especially, and his legal advice is much sought for.

### HERMAN H. MERTENS' SHOP.

[WITH PHOTO.]

The photograph of the shop at Green Island, N. Y., owned by Herman H. Mertens, goes to show what handsome decorations the sporting supplements of the POLICE GAZETTE make if properly framed and hung. Mertens himself is a hustling barber, and he has built

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up a fine trade for himself. He must be booming his town, for he writes:

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### BLACKSMITH KEEPS IT ON FILE.

MR. RICHARD K. FOX—Dear Sir: Enclosed will find \$1.00 for which please renew my subscription to POLICE GAZETTE as I do not wish to miss a single copy. I think your supplements are out of sight. I am a blacksmith, and anyone calling at my shop will be able to see the supplements as I hang them all up. Respectfully,

W. H. PETERSON,  
West Union, Neb.

### HARRY J. KEELER.

[WITH PORTRAIT.]

Harry J. Keeler was born in Brooklyn, N. Y., Nov. 25, 1872. He made his first appearance on the stage with Will H. Powers "Irishman's Luck" Company nine years ago, and was star of "McFadden's Nomination" Company, "A Gay Old Time" Company, and this season he is with Matt J. Flynn's Big Sensation Company. He is a clever performer.

### ELECTRICITY SHOCKS A PRETTY OPERATOR.

[SUBJECT OF ILLUSTRATION.]

An electric shock, which found lodgment in the body of a young woman employed in the office of the Chicago Telephone Company, may have the effect of causing her death.

She was in charge of the board where connections are made between the various offices of the company. She had made a connection at the request of one of the officials.

Holding the plug in her left hand and the receiver in her right, her fingers chanced to close over the metal attachment, which sent the current through her body.

As the effects of the shock did not wear away, her fellow operators asked that she be relieved. Three physicians have been doing everything in their power to save the girl's life, but she grows weaker each day.

### GEO. W. JOHNS.

[WITH PORTRAIT.]

One of the best known and most popular barbers in the city of Williamsport, Pa., is Mr. George W. Johns. He takes an active interest in all branches of sport, and the POLICE GAZETTE is always to be found on file in his place. He has recently taken possession of new quarters on Willow street, and now conducts one of the handsomest and best equipped shops in that section of the State. The dog shown in the photo is "Major," a French poodle, and a trick dog of no mean ability.

### GAZETTE IN THE PHILIPPINES

Manila, P. I., Feb. 28, 1900.

RICHARD K. FOX—Dear Sir: Enclosed find twenty cents (in silver), for which please send me two copies of the "Police Gazette Sporting Annual" for 1900. I have the 1897, 1898 and 1899 "Annals." Here among the boys many arguments arise in regard to prize ring records and about fighters, but the "Annual" settles them every time.

The POLICE GAZETTE, when it gets here, is generally from four to seven weeks old, but it is new to the boys just the same. It costs here 25 cents Mexican, or 12 1/2 cents American money. Yours truly,  
Sergt. William A. Hupp,  
Battery M, Sixth Artillery.

### HE'S A FIRE LADDIE.

[WITH PORTRAIT.]

The bright dog pictured on another page is said by his owners, the members of the Independence Fire Company No. 1, of Shamokin, Pa., to be one of the handsomest and most intelligent in the State. When a fire alarm is rung the dog will open the doors. At a recent fire he followed the firemen up on the roof of the burning building. He took first prize at the State Convention of Firemen at Scranton last October as the best looking dog in the parade.

### EMMONDS, EMERSON AND EMMONDS.

[WITH PORTRAITS.]

There are no better comedy artists on the vaudeville stage than the trio, Emmonds, Emerson and Emmonds. They have made a success of their original work, and are about to leave the United States for an extensive European and Australian tour.

### P. J. KELLY.

[WITH PORTRAIT.]

P. J. Kelly is one of the most expert bartenders in Springfield, Mass. He is employed by S. A. Ryan, and he has many friends among the customers of that popular resort.

## POLICE GAZETTE

GALLERY AND REVIEW OF

## POPULAR RESORTS

Palm Saloon and Grill Rooms of Sacramento, Cal.

## FINEST CAFE ON THE COAST

Owned and Managed by Dick McCredie, a Prince of Good Fellows.

(No. 21—With Photo.)

The Palm Saloon and Grill Rooms of Sacramento, Cal., is one of the finest resorts in the West. Mr. Dick McCredie, the present owner, purchased the Palm about two years ago from Jake Zamansky, "The Money King of Sacramento." Since taking possession

he has made many improvements, important among which is a roof garden, besides building on an annex in which is located the grill rooms, ladies' cafe and music room, where vocal and instrumental music is discoursed every evening. This department is under the personal supervision of Mr. Denny O'Brien, who was in the show business for years.

There are few better stocked bars in the State, which is in charge of Denny Connors and Frank Arnold, on the day watch, and Freddie Walker and George Little cater to the wants of the thirsty on the night watch. This is the same staff of bartenders Mr. Zamansky opened the Palm with over five years ago. Brock McGraw and Billy Blakely are on the extra list, and Con Heindol is the store-room man.

The figures in the photograph, beginning at the left, are: Denny Connors, Fred Walker, Frank Arnold, Dick McCredie and Denny O'Brien.

### OTTO NICK'S SALOON.

(No. 22—With Photo.)

A well-known saloon in Milwaukee, Wis., is the one at 298 Ried street, corner of Pierce street, owned by Otto L. Nick. One of the features of the place is the POLICE GAZETTE supplements, which have been nicely framed and are exhibited on the walls. The photograph, published on another page, will give other saloonkeepers a good idea of what can be done with the supplements.

### "BABE" RIEL.

[WITH PORTRAIT.]

A most versatile dancer is "Babe" Riel, whose reputation as an artiste of ability is almost world-wide. She has recently returned from an extensive Southern tour, which was a most decided success. Her popularity is unbounded, and at a stag she is always the star feature.

### NELLIE O'NEILL.

[WITH PORTRAIT.]

Charles E. Blaney, who is known as one of the greatest hustlers in the theatrical profession, has the happy faculty of getting the best available talent for his shows. In Miss Nellie O'Neill he has a soubrette of rare talent. She is winsome, pretty and clever, which is a rare combination. She is with "A Female Drummer" Company.

### WORTH ITS WEIGHT IN GOLD.

FT. DUCHESNE, Utah.

MR. RICHARD K. FOX—Dear Sir: Please send me a "Police Gazette Sporting Annual" for 1900. I cannot get along without one as I am asked to settle arguments almost every day in the pugilistic line. It is worth its weight in gold. I think it leads all the annals in the world and that is saying a great deal.

Yours respectfully, JOHN E. MILLER,  
Corporal Troop K, 9th Cavalry.

### FLEURETTE AND GARDINER.

[WITH PORTRAITS.]

Fleurette and Frank Gardiner are rapidly coming to the front as sketch artists. They are both young and clever and they have done some excellent work. At present they are playing dates in the leading vaudeville houses.

### THE HEAVYWEIGHT TWAIN

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**"BABE" RIEL.**

VERSATILE DANCER WHO HAS JUST FINISHED A VERY SUCCESSFUL SOUTHERN TOUR.



**NELLIE O'NEILL.**

BRIGHT AND CLEVER SOUBRETTE WITH CHARLES E. BLANEY'S "A FEMALE DRUMMER" COMPANY.



**EMMONDS, EMERSON AND EMMONDS.**

TALENTED COMEDY TRIO ABOUT TO LEAVE THIS COUNTRY FOR AN EXTENDED AUSTRALIAN ENGAGEMENT.



*Photo by Baker, Columbus.*

**FLEURETTE AND FRANK GARDNER.**

BRILLIANT TEAM WHO ARE NOW PLAYING DATES IN THE LEADING VAUDEVILLE HOUSES THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY.



HERMAN H. MERTEN'S SHOP.

HANDSOME TONSORIAL ESTABLISHMENT OF GREEN ISLAND, N. Y., DECORATED WITH THE SPORTING SUPPLEMENTS OF THE POLICE GAZETTE.



HE'S A FIRE LADDIE.

INTELLIGENT DOG OWNED BY INDEPENDENCE FIRE COMPANY OF SHAMOKIN, PA.



Photo by Loquist, Peoria.

MR. AND MRS. P. A. WEAST.

MR. WEAST IS THE OWNER AND MANAGER OF THE WEAST THEATRE, PEORIA, ILL.



Photo by Shempp, Williamsport.

GEORGE W. JOHNS AND MAJOR.

HE IS ONE OF THE MOST POPULAR BARBERS IN WILLIAMSPORT, PA., AND THE DOG IS A CLEVER TRICK FRENCH POODLE.

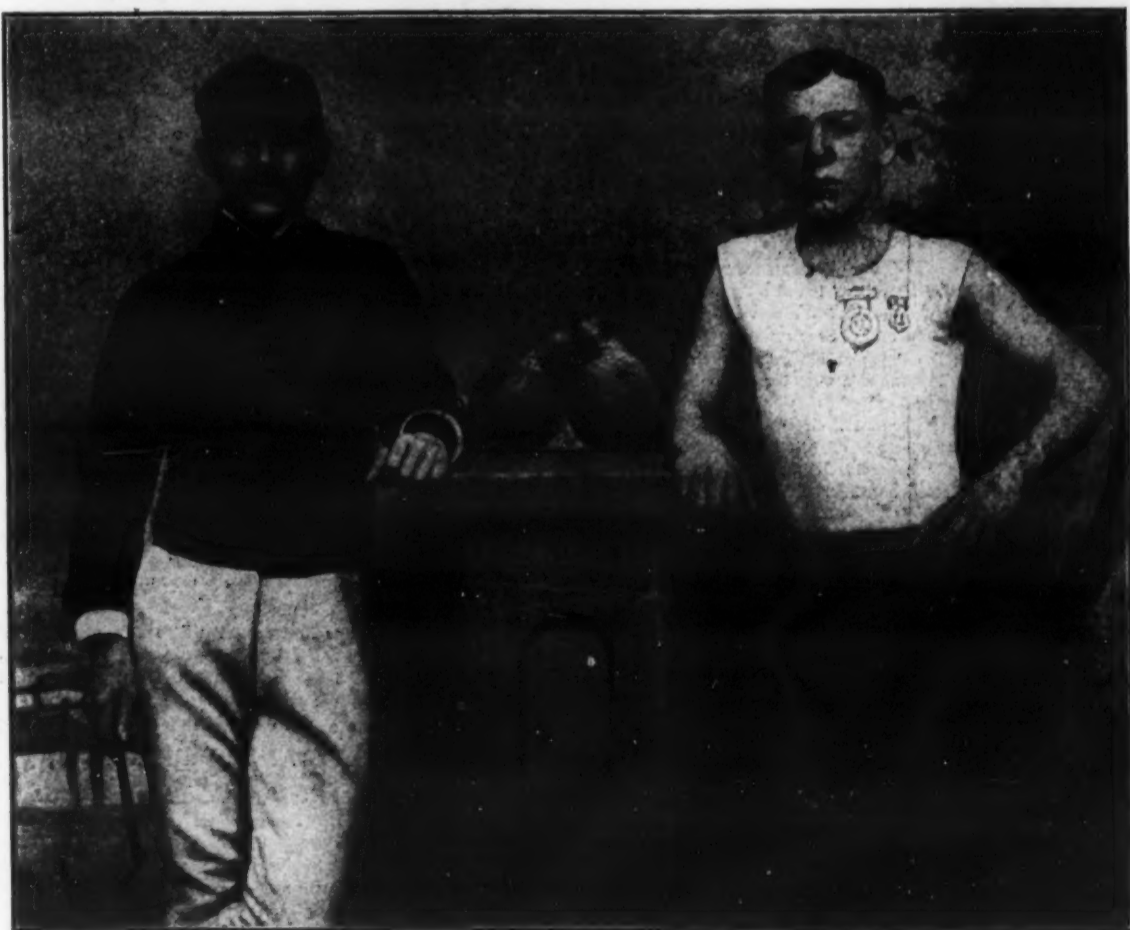


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LYNCH BROTHERS—FAMOUS JOCKEY AND BOXER.

MIKE PILOTTED MANY A GOOD RACE HORSE PAST THE WINNING POST, WHILE JIMMY ATTENDED TO THE FIGHTERS.



Photo by Baker, Columbus.

HARRY J. KEELER.

CLEVER COMEDIAN WHO IS NOW ON TOUR WITH MATT J. FLYNN'S BIG SENSATION COMPANY.

# MAN WHO WAS HANGED,

BY A BAND OF MASKED LYNCHERS,

## LIVES TO TELL THE TALE

He Had a Most Unpleasant Experience Which He Would Not Care to Have Repeated Under Any Circumstances.

A POLICEMAN OF ST. LOUIS, MO., HAS A CLOSE CALL.

Three Bullets at Short Range Come His Way, and He Arrested the Man Who Tried to Kill Him--Heroic Ranch Girl of Arizona. Leader of Cowboys.

There is a man out in Springer, N. M., who was once hanged, but he survived the ordeal, and he is now a law-abiding citizen. He recently told all about his experiences on the business end of a rope. It was in 1887, when he was locked up in the Springer Jail, that five masked men broke in. They were after him.

"I went with them," he says, "and at the jail door I began to curse their interference, when one of them put the muzzle of his pistol to my ear and said: 'Keep still, damn you, or I'll put a bullet through you.' I recognized him by his voice and knew that he would do it, and I kept still. A little further on we came to a telegraph pole. From the cross-bar swung a new rope. On one end was a slip noose. They led me under the rope.

"I tried to stoop down and pull off my boots, as I had promised my friends I would not die with my boots on, but before I could do it the noose was thrown over my head, and I was jerked off my feet. In a moment my senses left me, and then I woke up in what seemed to be another world. As I recollect now, the sensation was that everything around me had been multiplied a number of times. It seemed as if there were thousands of my executioners instead of only five of them. I saw what seemed to be a multitude of animals of all shapes and sizes. Then things changed and I was in great pain.

"I became conscious that I was hanging by the neck, and that the knot of the rope had slipped around under my chin. My hands were loosely tied, so I jerked them loose and tried to catch the rope above me, when somebody caught me by the feet just then and gave me a fearful jerk. It seemed like a bright flash of lightning passing in front of my eyes. It was the brightest thing I ever saw. It was followed by a terrible pain up and down and across my back, and I could feel my legs jerk and draw up. Then there was a blank, and I knew nothing more until 11 o'clock next day."

It appears that he hung fully fifteen minutes. In the meantime the jailer went into the town to fetch assistance. When he and some others returned to the spot where he was hanging, a hasty examination revealed no signs of life. However, somebody suggested trying whiskey, and, after rubbing him for several hours and administering sundry doses of liquor, they were finally rewarded by signs of life.

For many days afterward he was seized with occasional fits of unconsciousness, double sight and total forgetfulness.

### A Policeman's Close Call.

A policeman attached to the St. Louis, Mo., force was very near to death the other morning. He doesn't know yet how it was that he escaped the bullets which were intended for his anatomy. Three of them were fired at him at close range and he is still alive to tell how it happened.

One bullet hit his nose and glanced off, burying itself in the wall, a second struck his star and then took an angular shot at a glass in the saloon where the incident occurred, while the third penetrated his clothing directly over the heart, went through a match box, broke a suspender buckle in two and flattened itself out against his breast.

When he discovered that he was not dead he grabbed the revolver from his assailant and saved the other three cartridges. He then arrested the man and went to a physician, who pronounced his injuries not serious.

### Ranch Girl Leads Cowboys.

A detachment of cavalry from Fort Grant, Ariz., is in pursuit of a band of Indians, and a young ranch woman is leading a band of cowboys on the same mission. A short time ago the Indians attacked a man named J. D. Mack in Pinery Canyon.

He was left for dead, and when the Indians left he dragged himself to the ranch owned by a young woman four miles away.

He told her what had happened and she mounted a fleet horse and rode at once to Fort Grant, where she notified the army officers. A detachment of troops was sent at once to the scene of the shooting, guided by the girl, who rode with the soldiers as far as her ranch. There she organized a band of cowboys, and, herself assuming command, the party took the trail.

The troopers went to the camp, and there caught the trail of the Indians and followed it into the mountains. The cowboys are making a heroine of the young woman.

### SUPPLEMENTS ARE FINE.

RICHARD K. FOX--Dear Sir: Find enclosed ten cents for which send one "Sporting Annual" for 1900.

I have taken the POLICE GAZETTE for some time and would feel lost without it. The supplements are the finest I ever saw.

ELIS MASCO,  
Alpena, Mich.

### MEDWAY, THE CHAMPION JUMPER.

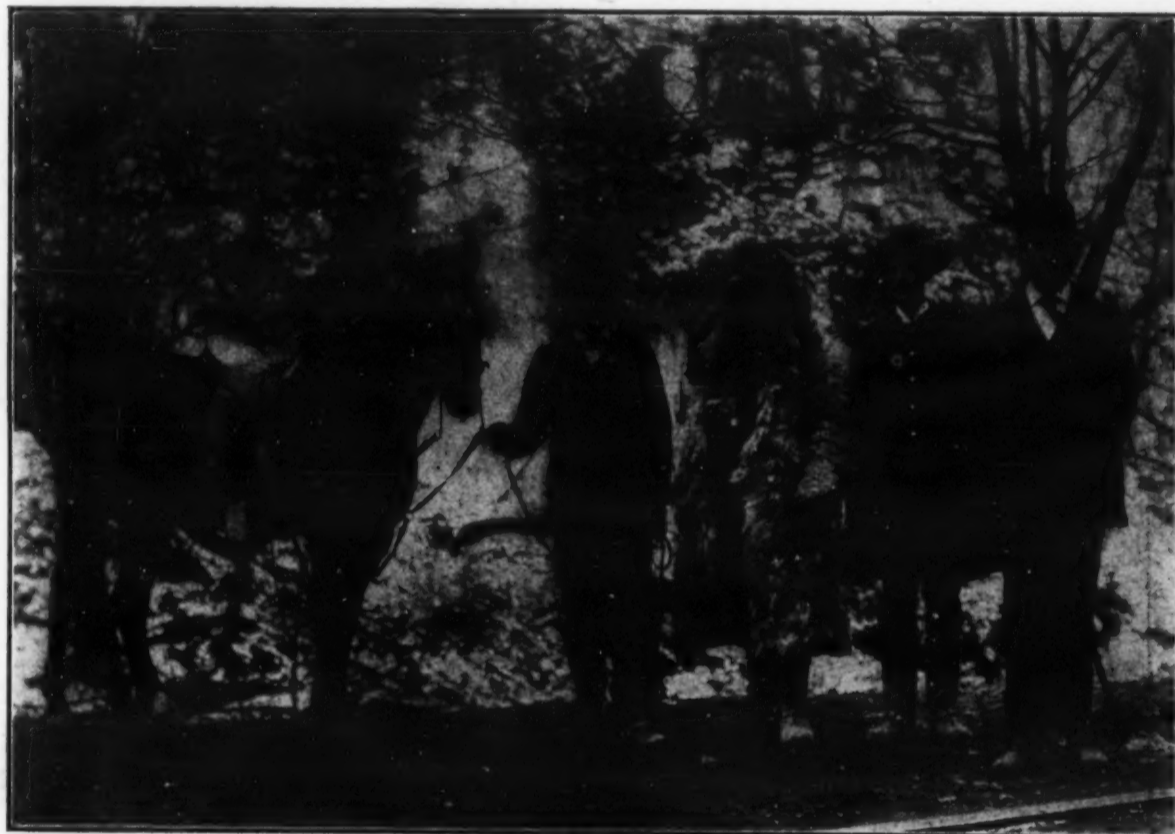
[WITH PORTRAIT.]

A sensational performer now giving exhibitions at the vaudeville theatres in New York and vicinity is Medway, the champion trick jumper of the world. The accompanying portrait shows him in the act of performing one of his most phenomenal feats.

### GEORGE L. JORDAN.

[WITH PORTRAIT.]

Mr. George L. Jordan, owner of the Combination Saloon, at Cripple Creek, Col., is one of the most popu-



### A WELL-KNOWN QUARTETTE.

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lar saloonmen in camp. He was among the first to settle on that famous spot and was the first chief of the fire department. He is a great favorite with the sporting class, and has refereed many pugilistic affairs.

### THREE SLASHING GOOD CHICKENS.

[WITH PORTRAITS.]

A. R. Fox, of Elberon, Ind., owns some fine game fowl, and we are enabled to publish portraits of three of them on page 10.

No. 1 is from a cock brought from the Philippine Islands by Corporal Shugart, of the Fourth Cavalry. Corporal Shugart saw him kill four fine cocks in one night, none of the fights lasting over 30 seconds. He has won thirty-seven battles with the slasher, and was claimed to be one of the best cocks in the Islands. Corporal Shugart bought him at the pit side, paying 110 pesos, something over \$50 of our money.

No. 2 is a gray cock, winner of five battles against odds in weight.

No. 3 is by Mr. Fox's famous stag, McCoy. He is eleven months old, and has won five battles against the best cocks that could be brought against him.

### GEORGE C. LEBOHNER.

[WITH PORTRAIT.]

George C. Lebohner, who has a fine reputation as a bowler, is the owner of Dexter Park, a popular resort on the corner of Jamaica avenue and Enfield street, Brooklyn, N. Y. He has many a fine score to his credit on the alleys, and is always ready for a game.

### LIBBIE BLONDELL.

[WITH PORTRAIT.]

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RICHARD K. FOX--Dear Sir: I have patronized the POLICE GAZETTE for years and found it the best paper out for sporting news. Yours very respectfully,  
GUST GRIMM,  
646 West Fifteenth Street, Chicago, Ill.

### WOMEN STRIKERS ON WAR-PATH

[SUBJECT OF ILLUSTRATION.]

There was a very warm time in Augusta, Ga., recently, when a number of women strikers and their sympathizers attacked with whips a manager of a manufacturing company against whom they had a grievance. They gave him a good thrashing, and while they were whipping him the men became excited and for a while it looked as if there was going to be serious trouble.

### CHAMPAGNE BATH FOR A MASHER.

[SUBJECT OF ILLUSTRATION.]

A young man of Dayton, O., who likes a good time, has had a new and somewhat novel experience. There was a burlesque show in town not long ago, and he dressed himself up in his best clothes, and after sending a couple of bottles of wine to the "girls," proceeded to call on them behind the wings. They sat him in a box and while one poured champagne over his head the other gave him a shampoo. When they had finished the two quarts he was a sight. Now he has no use for burlesquers.

### ACTRESS WAS ON HER MUSCLE.

[SUBJECT OF ILLUSTRATION.]

Somewhere "on tour" with a show in Indiana is a dejected star with a bruise on her cheek. The bruise was raised by the dainty fist of a female member of the aggregation of which the star has the honor to be a member. They had a little argument, and the star

## SUMMER BOWLING

---A JULY TOURNAMENT---

## AN EXPERIMENT

New York United Clubs Arrange For a Tourney.

IT MAY BECOME POPULAR.

Interesting Gossip of the Alleys and Rollers From Many States.

At this time of the year receipts of bowling alleys located in cities are commencing to dwindle and remind the owners that the season is approaching when a straggler now and then will be all the trade anticipated. The average roller is a bicycle rider or devoted to outdoor sports of some kind, and the warm weather terminates his bowling career for the year, with the exception of a few games now and then at some summer resort. He rarely devotes any time to this winter pastime during the summer. A large attendance is anticipated at the international tourney, to be held under the auspices of the New York United Bowling Clubs, and it remains to be seen how a contest of this kind will be appreciated in July.

Louis Birns' alleys, at 1839 Milwaukee avenue, Chicago, Ill., are fitted up with all modern improvements.

Jos. F. Gehringer, proprietor of the Windsor, northeast corner of Hamilton and Lumber streets, Allentown, Pa., has the only regulation bowling alley in the city.

Young's alleys at Syracuse, N. Y., are the best known in that city and enjoy the patronage of the A 1 rollers.

No. 627 and 629 Southport avenue, Chicago, Ill., is fitted up as a first-class alley and owned by Joseph A. Weber.

A ten-men championship team tourney was started on Thum's Germania Hall alley, Bowery, this city, this week.

The Englewood alleys, corner of Halsted and Sixty-third street, Chicago, Ill., are well managed by Wm. Bromstedt.

Ottmer and Wendell won a series from Cordes and Campbell on Kunkel's alley, 360 Fulton street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

On the Fairview alleys, Cincinnati, O., Messrs. Frood and Hoffman and Bachman and Schad are rolling winning games.

On Hendler's alley, Broadway and Adams street, Buffalo, N. Y., the home team won a victory over the Niagara Falls team last week.

Chas. C. Bickmann will open a new hotel and bowling alley at Thirtieth street and New Utrecht avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Goeller's High Bridge Park alleys, corner of Jamaica avenue and Sherman street, Richmond Hill, L. I., will be in demand this summer.

Mosser's alleys, corner of Dawson and Union avenues, New York city, are considered among the finest to be found above Harlem bridge.

Peter Kumpf's alley, Military Road, Buffalo, N. Y., was the scene of a large gathering of enthusiasts at the meeting between Geo. Feisinger and C. B. Stoddard and Gus Schreber and E. Hendricka. The latter had all the best of the match and won easily.

Kanatenah's well known alleys, Syracuse, N. Y., was where Ralph S. Bowen rolled 243, the highest score made on a regulation alley in that city.

On the Teutonia Hall alleys, Philadelphia, Pa., Wentzel's team won from the Foster team, although Acker of the latter team rolled the highest average.

John A. Kroher has fitted up bowling alleys at 66 Temple street, Hartford, Conn., which are regulation in every particular and one of the finest in the East.

Chas. Kriman's alleys, corner of Evergreen avenue and Halsey street, Brooklyn, N. Y., are in fine condition and can accommodate a large number of rollers.

Abbott Brothers have redecorated their beautiful regulation alleys 45 South Main street, Council Bluffs, Ia. The middle west cannot boast of a finer bowling resort.

In the Lion Palace Hotel, 110th street and Western Boulevard, New York city, four alleys have been erected. They were built by Justice Bruno and are kept in first class condition.

### SUPPLES AND POPP DRAW.

At Milwaukee, Wis., on April 17, "Curley" Supples of Buffalo, and Jim Popp of Canada, fought six fast rounds to a draw before the Badger Athletic Club. The fighting was very fast from the second round to the end of the bout, both men doing some clever blocking and footwork. Supples finished a little the fresher.

### A LITTLE WONDER

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# "MYSTERIOUS BILLY" SMITH IN A FIGHT FOR THE WELTERWEIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP KNOCKED OUT BY MATTHEWS

A Hurricane Battle, in Which Both Men Were Severely Punished,  
Suddenly Brought to an Interesting Conclusion.

ANOTHER FAVORITE IN THE BETTING ADDED TO THE LIST.

Looked Like Anybody's Fight When the Last Round Began---Weighed 142 Pounds  
at the Ringside---Danny Duane Won the Preliminary.

It comes to every fighter, sooner or later; a man may go on for years knocking opponents down and out like pins on a bowling alley, but if he stays in the game long enough the inevitable will come, and the mistake of believing one's self proof against the quieting influence of the knock-out thump is made convincingly apparent. This happened to "Mysterious Billy" Smith at the Broadway Athletic Club, New York, on April 17, when he fought and was knocked out by Matty Matthews, of New York, for the title of welterweight champion of the world.

It was the first time in his long and meritorious career that this had happened to Smith. He had fought the shiftest, cleverest and hardest hitting men in his class, lost decisions on points and on fouls, but never before had he experienced being lulled to sleep by the soothing influence of a soak on the jaw, and he has to console him now the knowledge which he imparted to other poor unfortunates who fell beneath the powerful effects of a right-hand wallop on the point.

The battle was an extremely interesting one right up to the end, which came in the nineteenth round. It was not a clever fight, and neither man wasted anything in sparring or learning fancy steps, but had both hands in motion trying to reach the right spot from the first round. The finish came like a cloudburst from a clear sky—as both men seemed able to go on indefinitely, notwithstanding the hurricane pace they had set—when the knock-out came.

It would be difficult to say to whom the honors belonged at the conclusion of the eighteenth round. The fighting up to that point had been fairly even, one man having an advantage in one round only to be smothered in the next. Both men had withstood punches hard enough to put any ordinary fighter away, and the big crowd present had settled itself in the conviction that the referee would have to pick the winner. Neither had shown marked signs of distress at any stage, despite the fact that both had been jarred from head to heel time and again.

Matthews' persistent efforts on the face had Smith bleeding from the mouth early in the battle, and a lump over his left eye showed Matty's handiwork with his right.

Matthews' body showed the terrific pounding that Smith had administered to the lower works, while a lump as big as a walnut on his right cheek gave evidence of frequent contact with Smith's left glove. All in all, it was a mill worth going a route to witness.

Smith's defeat added another to the long string of betting favorites that have gone down in the ring in the last twelve months. The sports were betting all the way from 100 to 60 to 2 to 1 that Smith would beat Matthews. And the form of the two men when they last met, about two years ago, justified their confidence. But they did not take into consideration that Matthews has grown bigger and stronger since that time.

The battle involved the title of welterweight champion of the world, a title which Smith held by virtue of Tommy Ryan's inability to make the prescribed weight and Smith's victory over Frank McConnell, of San Francisco, when they fought for the title. Matthews acquired the title of 138-pound champion when he defeated Bobby Dobbs, who had beaten Dick Burge, the English champion, and holder of it. Smith and Matthews weighed in at 142 pounds ringside.

In the ring the former was attended by Charlie O'Brien, Kid McPartland, Mike Gallagher and Billy Needham. Johnny Dunn, Billy Roberts and Peter Burke were in Matthews' corner. Matthews wore heavy bandages, while Smith's hands were wound with light tape. The judges were dispensed with, and Charlie White was the referee. Straight Queensberry rules was the order of fighting.

The fight began with Matthews trying a left lead to the face which Smith countered. Matty shoved two more lefts to the face, but just escaped a vicious right lunge. Smith was more successful a moment later, as he put a right over to the jaw. Matty was forced to the boards as he tried to get close to avoid Billy's incoming left. Matty put two swinging lefts to the face in the second, and Smith jolted the right to the body at close quarters.

Matthews had the better of the long range work in third round, but Smith more than evened matters by

vicious infighting. Matty slammed in two long lefts in the fourth, and Smith, stepping in close, kept up a steady tattoo on the ribs. Smith forced Matty into a corner and smothered him with right and left hooks on the body. As they broke away to the center again Matthews plastered the jaw with a hard right, forcing Smith to another clinch. Matty got both hands in motion in the fifth, and reached Smith hard and often. Smith kept up his fierce body play, ripping his left to the stomach at full range and jumping in with right drives to the heart.

They broke about even in the sixth round, but Smith had the seventh by a good margin. Matthews was forced to a corner under a two-handed drive, and as they got to a clinch Smith sneaked in a little elbow



NEDWAY, THE CHAMPION TRICK JUMPER OF THE WORLD,

In one of His Feats, Jumping from a Tumbler over a Chair, touching two Eggs without breaking them, and over another Chair.

work. For this little byplay he was hooted by the crowd and cautioned by the referee. The eighth round also was Smith's. They stood flat-footed and turned loose both hands, reaching the jaw with sledge-hammer swings. As Smith rushed he reached the jaw with a full-range right that shook Matthews to his shoe-tops.

Matthews shifted the deal in the ninth. He went in under full sail, putting three successive rights to the jaw, and put the "Mysterious One" on the defensive. More even fighting marked the tenth.

The eleventh and twelfth rounds furnished the fastest fighting ever seen in any ring. They stood close and slammed in rights and lefts at top speed, both playing for the jaw and seldom missing the mark. Both were willing to mix it. Four strong arms swung with clock-like regularity, and both men were winded from the fast work as they went to their corners at the end of the twelfth.

Smith took another lead in the fifteenth, plastering the jaw with the right, one of which put Matthews down. Smith was staggered by two well-directed right-handers in the seventeenth round, but Matty was quickly checked with a wicked left-hander in the stomach.

They peppered away at each other in the eighteenth round at a slashing pace, both slugging in the hope of reaching a vulnerable point. It was Matthews' good fortune to land one. They came up strong for the nineteenth round, both seemingly able to go on all night. They hardly had got their hands up when Matthews threw a right over to the jaw. The blow dazed Smith, and Matthews, seeing his weakness, set himself

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for a finishing touch. It came a moment later. Matthews stepped in at half-arm range and again let go his right. Smith went down with a thud and was still dead to the world at the end of the referee's count. Time of round, twenty-eight seconds.

The preliminary was a twelve-round affair between Whitey Lester, of Philadelphia, and Dan Duane, of Brooklyn, at 130 pounds. It went the limit, but it was Duane's fight from the first bell. Duane had his man bruised and bleeding as early as the third round, but by steady defensive work and by frequently taking the floor to avoid Duane's rushes Lester escaped a knockdown till the eleventh.

## DOWNEY HAS A SOLAR PLEXUS.

A left-hand solar plexus blow was the cause of Jack Downey's undoing when he fought Tim Kearns at the Hercules Club in Brooklyn, N. Y., on April 16. Downey went to the canvas in the tenth round and for fully five minutes his attendants dabbled with restoratives in an effort to bring him back to consciousness. It wasn't a case of all "pork chops" with Kearns either, for he was badly punished before the bout was finished, and his nose, already sore and disfigured from an operation, was pounded into a shapeless mass.

Downey used his usual rushing tactics at the beginning of the first round. Kearns fought entirely on the defensive until the second, when he dashed in with a vicious left that landed squarely on Downey's chin. Jack fell like a log and stayed on his knees ten seconds. He rushed as he arose and sent a straight right against Tim's sore nose. Another right in the same place knocked the injured nose out of shape and those who were rooting for Jack took heart.

In the third round a right swing knocked Kearns down. He jumped up quickly and rushing in swung his left to the stomach. It doubled Downey up and he hung on to Kearns desperately to save himself. Downey knew that Kearns had a silver tube in his nose as a result of a recent surgical operation and he applied himself solely to trying to knock that tube out. He nearly succeeded and at the end of the fifth round Tim's nose was in a frightful condition.

Meantime Kearns had been ripping his left into Jack's stomach, each one of which made Downey

## CHALLENGES FROM ASPIRING SPORTS

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Dear Sir—I would like to meet Tom Day for the light-weight championship of Canada before the club offering the best purse in Boston or St. John, New Brunswick.  
BARTH McLEOD.

Dear Sir—I challenge any 85-pound boy in the business. Address Isidore Rosenthal, 59 Sheriff street, New York city.  
KID ROSE.

85-pound Champion East Side.  
The matchmaker of the recently incorporated Newark Athletic Club, of Newark, O., writes that he desires to secure first-class talent for contests at the above place. Only topnotchers are wanted, and good purses will be given men of reputation. Mr. H. B. Wheeler is the matchmaker and manager of the club.

Dear Sir—I am ready to meet James Galle, 7 Withers street, Brooklyn, in your office any time between now and May 15 to arrange a match for \$500 a side or nothing, as I will not entertain a challenge under this sum.  
Yours truly,  
DOMINICO GUIDO,  
Champion Barber of Brooklyn.

Dear Sir—Klimp Kelley, of New York, would like to hear from some good manager who would look after his business. He fights at 135 pounds and has defeated a couple of good men. Address  
KIMPE KELLEY.

207 E. Sixteenth St., New York.

Dear Sir—Just a word to let the public know that I have again re-entered the business. The lay-off of the three or four years I have been in retirement naturally makes me a bit stiff at the outset, but this has now been worked off and I am prepared to take a crack at any of the topnotchers doing business at the Pennsylvania clubs.

CURLEY MALLOY,  
Rem Office, Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Sir—"Mugy" Finnegan is my champion and I'll match him against any amateur tumbler in Baltimore turning cart wheels, stables, double flips off the ground or somersaults into the water for \$50 a side. Hurry up if you want to do business, for every circus in the country is after my champ.  
BILLY FINNEGAN,  
Electric Park, Baltimore, Md.

Dear Sir—Johnny Whittaker, the clever midget featherweight, who throws a stiff punch with either hand and who sent "Farmer" Reader down Queer Avenue in Cleveland recently, has arrived in Buffalo in the hope of taking on any good boxer in the business who shapes up at 118 to 122 pounds, Harry Johnson or Jimmy Smith preferred.  
BOD McMAHON.

Dear Sir—I have a heavyweight here by the name of Wm. Muncey, who is only twenty-two years old and weighs 230 pounds. He is as fine a built youngster as you would want to look at, and would like for him to get on a match with some of the heavyweights around New York. Now, in speaking of my man, I will say that he is a wonder. I have seen Gus Ruhlin and "Kid" McCoy when they first branched out as professionals and will say my man excels them all, and would like to put him to the front as he is certainly a wonder. He has had several fights here and always comes out first best. I would like to see him pitted against a good man. We had him go against Fitzsimmons about a year ago and he more than held his own in a four-round bout. He has improved wonderfully, and if given a chance you will see, I think, a newcomer in the field. He can stand a lot of punishment, and besides, clever and a good stiff puncher.

JOE BRUNER,  
Marietta, O.

Dear Sir—In the last issue of your paper I noticed the challenge of Charles Higgins, of Green Bay, Wis., to a bag-punching contest against any man in the world, preferring me. I wish to say that I will gladly accommodate Mr. Higgins. I would also like to get on a contest with John J. Mahoney or either of the Keeley brothers. Hoping to receive an early answer and articles of agreement from Mr. Higgins, I remain

Yours respectfully,  
CHAS. LAVINIE,  
679 Armitage Ave., Chicago, Ill.

Dear Sir—I have in my charge a middleweight (158 pounds) who has done some good fighting in his short career in the ring. I have him matched to box Paddy Shey at Wichita, Kan., after which I expect to bring him East and match him against the best middleweights going. My man is Harry Covert, of Carson City, Nev. By his knocking out "Dago Mike" in three rounds in a hard fight at Texarkana, Tex., and having met such men as Jack Stelzner, Dan Creedon, Tommy Ryan, Jim Watts, Joe Butler, Jack Bonner and many others, I think we are entitled to a hearing from any one in the game. Will back him for any amount.

Yours,  
CHARLEY YODES,  
Joplin, Mo.

## IN A MINUTE

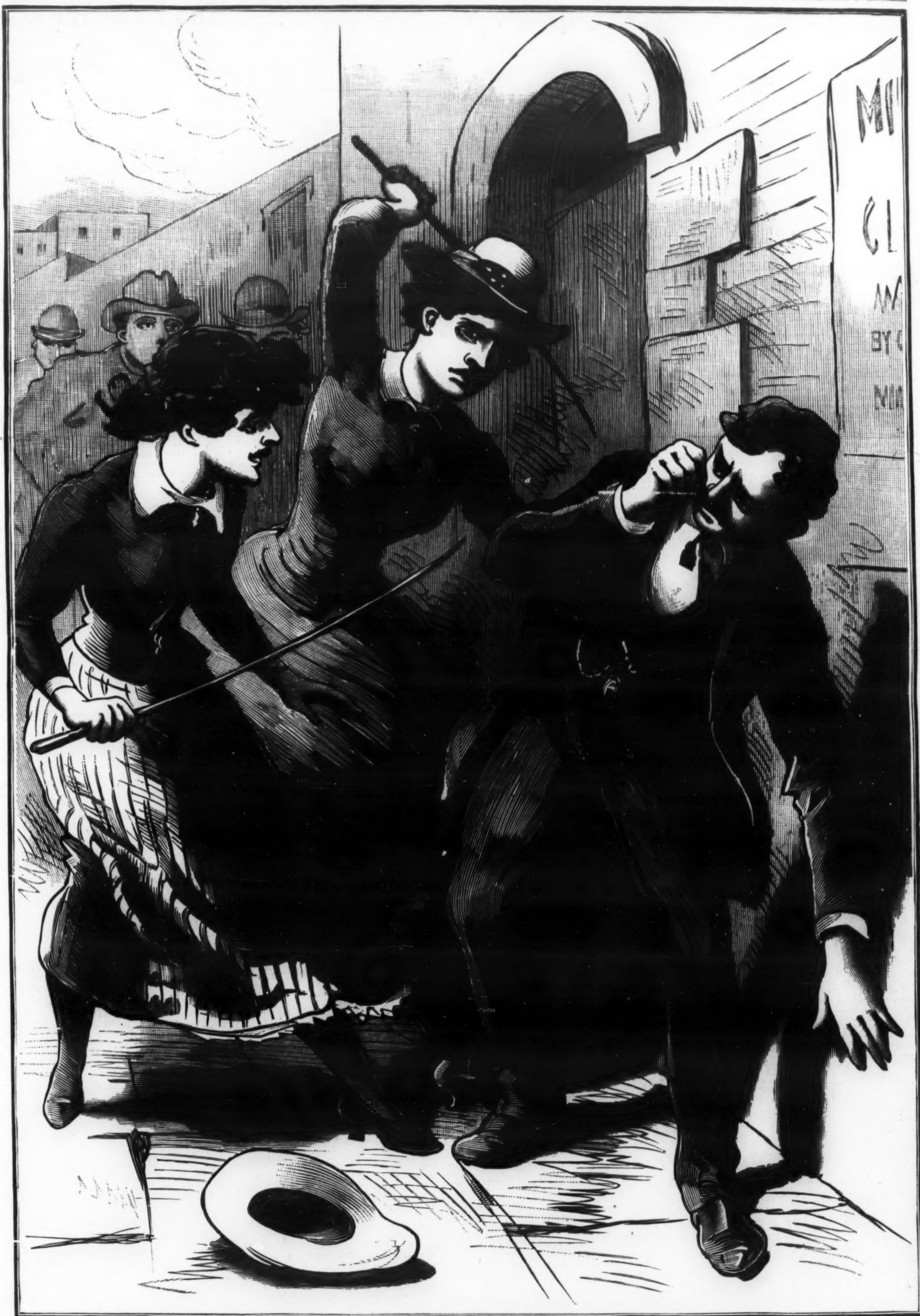
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F. M., New Brighton, S. I.—No. 2, 1899.  
B. S. W., De Ruyter, N. Y.—Straight flush wins.  
B. E. D., Corp. Troop A, Third Cavalry, Manila.—B wins.  
T. T. Nelson, Pendleton, Ore.—Send photo and history. No charge.

F. D., Evansville, Ind.—1. B wins. 2. In Spalding's 1900 Baseball Guide.  
H. H., Fall River, Mass.—Was John L. Sullivan ever the world's champion? ...No.

E. D., Brooklyn.—Who owned the horse Maud B. when she died? ...Robert Bonner estate.

P. J. M., Clarksville, Tenn.—How many rounds did Sullivan and Kilrain fight? ...75 rounds.

E. B., Philadelphia, Pa.—Is there any limit to the number of rounds fought under the Horion law? ...No.

H. G., New York.—Have "Kid" Carter and Jim Judge ever fought? ...Yes. Judge won five rounds.

B. E., Bridgeton, N. J.—Pittsimmous lost a fight to Jim Hall in Australia, and also to Sharkey on a foul in 'Prisco.

G. M., Johnstown, N. Y.—Where was Lord Roberts, present commander of British forces in South Africa, born? ...In Ireland.

J. C., Boston.—Who holds the world's amateur record for three standing jumps? ...Thirty-eight feet; J. Chandler Ireland; Sept. 26, 1897.

J. K. C., Jerome, Ariz.—If Andy thinks it is a straight let him try it in a poker game with experts and see how far he would go with it. He loses.

C. M., New York.—Was Herb Olsen champion of the world in wrestling before he defeated Robert? ...He was not champion of the world until he beat Robert.

—Newark, O.—W bets J that there is no scheduled train due at any station at 12 o'clock even. Railroad time tables are plentiful enough. Look for yourself.

E. C. P., Pincheon, Ind.—Where can I find a market for original (to be written) published plays and tragedies? ...Charles Frohman, Empire Theatre, New York city.

J. W. C., Upland, Pa.—A bets B that straight go in poker dice; B bets that they do not? ...Only when an agreement is made before the game begins as in draw poker.

T. J. D., Corning, N. Y.—A bets the best English language is spoken in America; B bets A is wrong. Which wins? ...Difficult to correctly answer this to your satisfaction.

E. E. J., Jersey City, N. J.—A bets that Sharkey is the richest fighter before the public? ...A difficult proposition to decide a bet on, but Sharkey has about as much as any of them.

L. W. L., Gloversville, N. Y.—Which pugilist, Fitzsimmons or Dixon, has sparred and fought the most men? ...Dixon. 2. Send 10 cents for "Police Gazette Annual," containing records.

Readers, Jersey City.—A bet that Tom Sharkey is the richest fighter in the ring at the present time. ...We have no exact knowledge of his finances, but presume he has as much as anyone.

J. H. H., Youngstown, O.—Where can I get a road map (for bicycling) giving the best and nearest roads between Youngstown, O., and Baltimore, Md.? ...From your local Consul L. A. W.

J. N., Bristol, R. I.—A bets that Sharkey was knocked out by Bob Fitzsimmons, and B bets he was not. Who wins? ...He was knocked out by an alleged foul blow, was the referee's decision.

Miss F. V., Aylmer, East Quebec, Canada.—Buffalo Bill is at the Hoffman House, New York. Miss Terry, Knickerbocker Theatre, New York. Miss Marlowe, care of Charles Frohman, New York city.

S. H., Gowanda, N. Y.—In a wrestling contest, when both men worked off the mat they put back on the mat and gives the same holds they had? ...Ordered to the mat and resume the same holds.

A. O. B., Newark, N. J.—Rusie did not pitch for the New Yorks in 1899. He refused to accept salary offered him. Anson did not manage the New Yorks in 1899. He was manager for a short time in 1898.

A. C. L., Columbus, O.—I made a bet that there has been preliminary scheduled to go twenty rounds in the last two years? ...Frequently two twenty-round bouts are held on the same night in local clubs.

T. J. C., Cincinnati, O.—I would like to have the address of such men as Peter Maher, Ed. Dunkhorst, Kenney and some other good men. ...Send letters to this office and will forward to addresses if we have them.

P. J. M., Minersville, Pa.—According to the agreement to settle all disputes by tossing, if B refuses to toss he loses all mounds in the stakeholder's hands. It being apparent that he does not intend to go on with the match.

J. H., Wheeling, W. Va.—How does America rank in her naval power, comparing her with other powers? Who has the record for a mile on the wheel? ...Great Britain, Russia and the United States. 2. Major Taylor.

E. E. D., Sergt. Troop A, Third Cavalry, Manila.—There is no official record of any such throw by Wagner, although he claims to have beaten Hatfield's throw of 133 yards 1 foot 7 3/4 inches, which is the record. B wins hands down.

G. M., Chicago.—Mr. Taylor bets \$10 with Mr. Mel that Bob Fitzsimmons never struck a heavier blow than John L. Sullivan? The above is meant for striking machine record. ...There never was a test of heavy hitting. Neither has a striking machine record.

A. C. W., Hoboken.—Let me know how to tell the time on a stop watch, such as 1:59, 2:49, 3:5, etc.? ...The first figure is minutes, second figures are seconds, and if it is a fifth-second watch the fifths are indicated by lines at the extreme outside of the dial. Better get somebody who has a watch to show you.

W. H. W., Bayfield, Wis.—In your catch-as-catch-can wrestling rules you say that it is a foul to throttle a man. Will you tell me what you mean by this. Do you mean that the strangle hold is barred or open, according to your rules? ...Depends upon the

agreement. Sometimes the strangle hold is barred and sometimes it is not.

B. T. B., Columbus, O.—Do you consider Duncan C. Ross the champion broadswordman of the world? Was his defeat at Zanesville, O., last spring, by W. S. Rice recorded as a defeat? How old is Ross? ...1. He is about as good as any of them. 2. Depends upon whether it was a bona fide fight or not. 3. About forty-five years.

C. B., Washington, D. C.—If a horse goes to post a favorite and you play him to win can you not play him for second and third place? A says as favorite the horse has only one chance, that is to win first place; B says he has an equal chance with the field for second and third place? ...You can play a favorite for place or third if the bookmaker will lay you a price.

C. H. T., New York.—A and B have an argument over the nationality of Joseph Murphy, the actor; A claims that he is an American and B claims that he is an Irishman; A claims that his birthplace, as given in the World Almanac, is Brooklyn, N. Y., and a man born in the United States cannot be an Irishman; B insists that so long as his parents were Irish he might be born in the United States, Germany, France or any other country but would be

Irish just the same, so long as his parents were Irish; A claims also that a negro born in China is a Chinaman, and a white man born in Africa is an African, so far as nationality is concerned? ...A person takes his nationality from the country in which he was born. One born in America of Irish parents would be what is usually termed an Irish-American. A's argument coincides with our opinion.

H. A. D., Evansville, Ind.—In a game of professional baseball the batter knocks fly ball and owing to the sun being in the player's eyes or one player expecting another to take the ball it lands within three feet of the pitcher's box and bouncing rolls across the foul line between home plate and third base; A bets that it would be a foul while B contends it would be a fair ball. Who wins? ...B wins.

W. G., Miles City.—Regarding your answer to M. F. M., Miles City, Mont., concerning pin pool, considerable argument has been brought out. Do you by your answer mean that there is only one cue ball (the white) and two reds, and that players are compelled to use the one cue ball throughout the game? ...No; two white balls and one red. Players can play with any ball on the board after the first stroke.

M. W., Jr., Marion, Ia.—Was "One-Eyed" Connolly ever a pugilist? How did he lose his eye? Was Ed. Dunkhorst ever knocked out? Whom did "Mysterious Billy" Smith win welter-weight championship from? ...1. History sayeth not, but there is a vague suspicion that he was. 2. Again we must plead ignorance. 3. No, but he has been beaten several times so badly that he was compelled to stop. 4. Ryan forfeited the title.

G. P. H., Mountain View, Wyo.—In your answer to question is a mare a horse I believe the comparison you gave "We reply with a smile; is a woman a man" to be the only one you could make. I am interested in the argument and will bet the price of three months' subscription against three months' subscription for the Police Gazette that a mare is a horse? ...We should be pleased to read your argument, and will give it a suitable place in the columns of the Police Gazette.

'TWAS ZIMMER, NOT ZIMPHER.

Alleged Murderer Claims He Was Erne's Sparring Partner.

The New York story which, in a degree, connects Frank Zimmer of Buffalo, the sparring partner of Lightweight Champion Erne, with a recent murder in Passaic, N. J., is badly muddled.

Zimmer is in Buffalo, having returned from Pittsburgh with Erne, after a week's sparring in the Pennsylvania city.

The alleged murderer gave his name as Joseph Zimmer and claimed that he was at one time the sparring partner of Frank Erne.

Zimmer laughed when the accused man's claim was mentioned and said that the fellow had probably been drunk and traded on

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the slight similarity in names. Erne does not know the man and says he never had a sparring partner of that name.

"NEWBURG WHIRLWIND" WAS GOOD.

Held Up by Highwaymen He Gave Them a Surprise.

Two Cleveland, O., highwaymen made a bad blunder the other night when they tackled Henry Scott, a deaf and dumb man, who



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is known as the "Newburg Whirlwind," and has been in the prize ring more than once. One of the men grabbed him by the coat while his companion coolly put one hand in Scott's pocket. The latter proceeded to give the fellows a lesson in the many art of self-defense gratis. In a minute he had both rolling in the mud in the gutter.

As soon as the men gained their feet they made a frantic dash to get out of reach of Scott's terrible fists.

"BUNCO BILL" LANDS JOE WALCOTT.

The Black Fighter Gets Up Against "The Old Thing."

Darktown is laughing at an experience which Joe Walcott had recently in Baltimore, Md., during his sojourn there to fight Dick Moore. He acted the part of a good Samaritan, and consequently is now mourning the loss of a five-dollar bill. Walcott was walking down Druid Hill avenue when a darky approached him and said:

"Hello, Johnson, how are you?"

"My name ain't Johnson," replied Joe.

"Oh, yes it is," said the stranger. "I met you in London."

"Nebber bin to London. My name's Walcott, and I just come from New York."

The stranger then disappeared. After he had walked a couple of more squares Walcott was approached by Darkey No. 2.

"Hello, Joe," he said.

"Who are you?" asked the pugilist.

"Oh, we met in New York," said the man.

"Oh, I meet so many people I can't remember you," answered Joe.

The stranger then told a pitiful tale of a sick wife and wound up by borrowing \$5 from Walcott. When Walcott reached the Eureka Athletic Club he told his story and was immediately given the "ha-ha" by the crowd.

He then realized that he had been buncoed, and said:

"Well, I guess I lose, but, say, how did that fellow know my name?"

GOFF WAS KNOCKED OUT QUICK.

Charley Goff, Billy Madden's middleweight, didn't last long in front of Billy Hanrahan, a recent graduate from the amateur ranks. They fought at the Greenwood Club, Brooklyn, on April 14, and Hanrahan knocked out Goff with one punch—a right swing on the jaw—after forty-five seconds of fighting.

Two to one on Goff was the ruling odds, which most people indignantly refused.

Gus Ruhlin and Billy Madden, Goff's handlers, advised their man to go right in at the start, and a greater mistake they never made.

Goff rushed at his man and jabbed a straight left to Billy's face, but he beat a hasty retreat as Hanrahan swung his left and right.

Hanrahan followed Goff to his corner and suddenly let go a right swing, which landed flush on the jaw, and dropped Goff like a log. Goff arose on the count of nine, but went to his hands and knees from another swing. Ruhlin saw his man had no chance and rushed into the ring and pulled Goff to his corner.

In the first preliminary "Terrible Tommy" Feits knocked out Tony Lewis, of New York, in the fourth round, and in the second bout, Billy Travis was knocked out by Jimmy Barnett.

FOUGHT ON THE FLOOR.

Thomas and Lester Both Broke the Rules, but Former Got the Verdict.

Hartford, Conn., was the scene of some lively doings at the Nutmeg Athletic Club on April 13. Andy Daly of Boston went two rounds with Mose King of New London. Daly received the decision, although a draw was looked for. John Curran of Springfield knocked out Ike Griffin of the same place in the third round.

In the fourth round of the go between "Kid" Thomas of New York and "Whitey" Lester of Philadelphia the referee stopped the bout when both men were rolling on the floor and pounding each other. He gave the decision to Thomas. Both should have been disqualified. The decision of the referee, Captain Bill Daly of Boston, was regarded as unfair by the spectators.



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## TERRY AND TIGER

HAVE AN INTERESTING SESSION

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Terry McGovern, the famous little fighter, talks of having a guardian appointed for his bank-roll. He says he can take care of all the aspirants for his championship honors, but when it comes to looking out for the frog-skins he believes he will have to delegate that important function to some one better qualified than himself.

To make a long story short little Terry has had his fingers twisted in a short, sharp and decisive bout with the tiger. One night last week he finished an engagement at a Troy, N. Y., theatre, and, finding time hanging heavily on his hands, dropped in on an Aerie of Eagles recently organized in that city. The Eagles were not slow in recognizing a kindred spirit, for Terry is a good brother of New York Aerie No. 40, and all went well until the featherweight left the room for a moment. Upon his return he found he had an enormous fine of 50 cents assessed against him. Of course no one could meet such an obligation on short notice and Terry made proposals to work out the fine by singing "The Blow Almost Killed Father." This was promptly turned down and McGovern secured an extension for a few minutes until he could go out and hold up some one.

Once out in the open he thought a "fairy" bank a good proposition, and, locating one, made a left jab at an eight spot, but fell short. Nothing daunted, he took on a few more, but could not get a decision. Then his blood got thoroughly aroused and he went in to finish the tiger in short order. He would land just one solar plexus blow and possibly one on the point of the jaw, and all would be over but the rubbing down.

But the tiger side stepped, cross-counter and blocked with devilish ingenuity. Not once did Terry's mit find him. Every lead was countered and the \$100 bills were unwinding from the bantam's roll like tape on a ticker when something is decidedly doing on the Street.

McGovern was willing to call it a draw and divide the purse in the sixteenth round, but took a chance and went on again, though decidedly groggy. This proved as much the tiger's as any of its predecessors and the bantam sank down in his corner for good.

After setting them up all around he went out and inspected his roll. He weighed less by \$1,300 than when he entered the ring and the fifty cents was still owed.

FOUGHT FIFTY-ONE HOT ROUNDS.

Lively Milling at the Pelican Club's Weekly Session.

At the Pelican Club of Brooklyn, N. Y., on April 14, there was no end of good fighting. In the star bout of fifteen rounds at 115 pounds, Billy Donnelly and Young Hines went at it furiously from the bell. Hines' seconds threw up the sponge in the thirteenth round. The other bouts resulted as follows:

Six rounds at 118 pounds—"Kid" Wein beat Terry Fox.

Ten rounds at 130 pounds—Eddie Kelly knocked out Billy Doyle in the eighth round.

Ten rounds at 125 pounds—"Nigger" McAuley knocked out Joe Bateman in the third round.

Ten rounds at 150 pounds—Mike Brown and Jack Butler fought a fast draw.

WRESTLED UNTIL MIDNIGHT.

Amateurs Win Local Championships and Show Artistic Form.

There was some fine wrestling at the Opera House in Mount Vernon, N. Y., on April 15. The contests were for the amateur championships of Westchester County. P. J. Ring, the famous ex-champion wrestler, who promoted the tournament, was immensely pleased with the result.

Joe Brannick threw his two opponents and won the 118-pound championship and a handsome medal. Pete Lawler won the 133-pound championship.

The best match of the evening was for catch weight class, three men entered for the contest. After a fine and exciting contest Louie Marzullo threw Jack Shiner twice, winning the heat. Shiner surprised everybody by his clever work. At one time he looked like a winner.

Silverstein next tackled Louie for the final bout. Both wrestlers showed great skill and very clever holds were taken. After wrestling until midnight the match was called off, neither man securing a fall.

Silverstein displayed good generalship throughout.

out. P. J. Ring acted as referee and Harry Smythe as time-keeper.

HAMILTON BUTTED GARDNER.

At Wheeling, W. Va., on April 9 the Metropolitan Club gave a boxing show, the principal event being a twenty-round go between Oscar Gardner and Jack Hamilton. It was called a draw by the referee, F. F. Murphy, at the end of the twentieth round. In the third round Hamilton deliberately butted Gardner, and during the fight did the same six times. These two have been together no less than four times. Gardner once got a decision and Hamilton got the same. There have been two draws. There is a likelihood of another fight.

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**Fistiana and Thespia** joined hands in wedlock one day last week when Joe Gaus of Baltimore, the gentlemanly lightweight fighter, and Miss Madge Warren, a member of Williams and Walker's theatrical company, became man and wife. It was quite a happening in New York colored society and the "black 400" was represented in every degree of shade and

A black and white photograph of two men. The man on the left is seated, wearing a dark jacket and holding a patterned bag. The man on the right is standing, wearing a dark jacket and pointing his right index finger towards the left. The background is a textured, mottled grey.

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## What the Men You Hear About Are Doing During These Busy Days.

**HEROES OF SAN JUAN DEFEATED.**

A one-sided exhibition of indoor baseball was played on Wednesday night, April 16th, between the Twelfth and Seventy-first Regiment teams at the Twelfth's Armory, New York city. The Seventy-first team was badly handicapped by the illness of two of their best infield players, but nevertheless they played a strong uphill game. The feature of the game was the battery work of Huen and Schwartz, of the Seventy-first, although both were badly crippled by the season's schedule. It is a noteworthy fact that all the members of the Seventy-first team saw service at San Juan.

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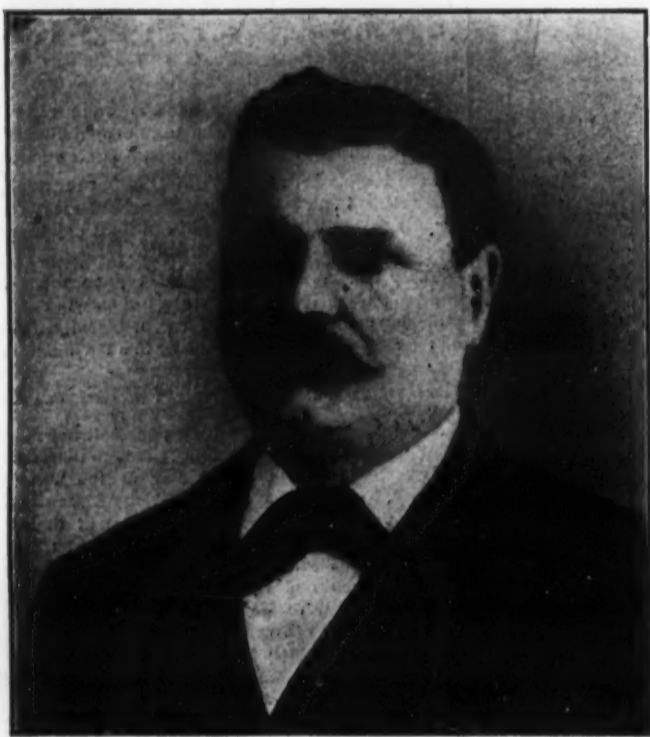
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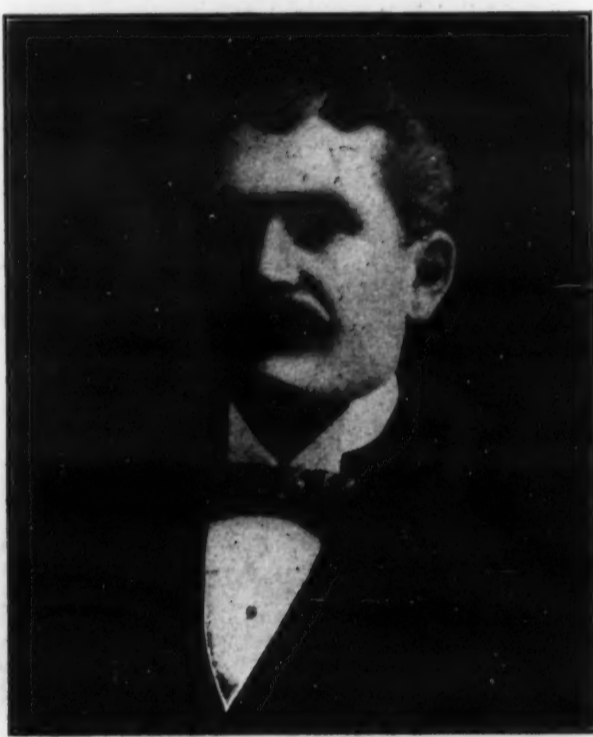
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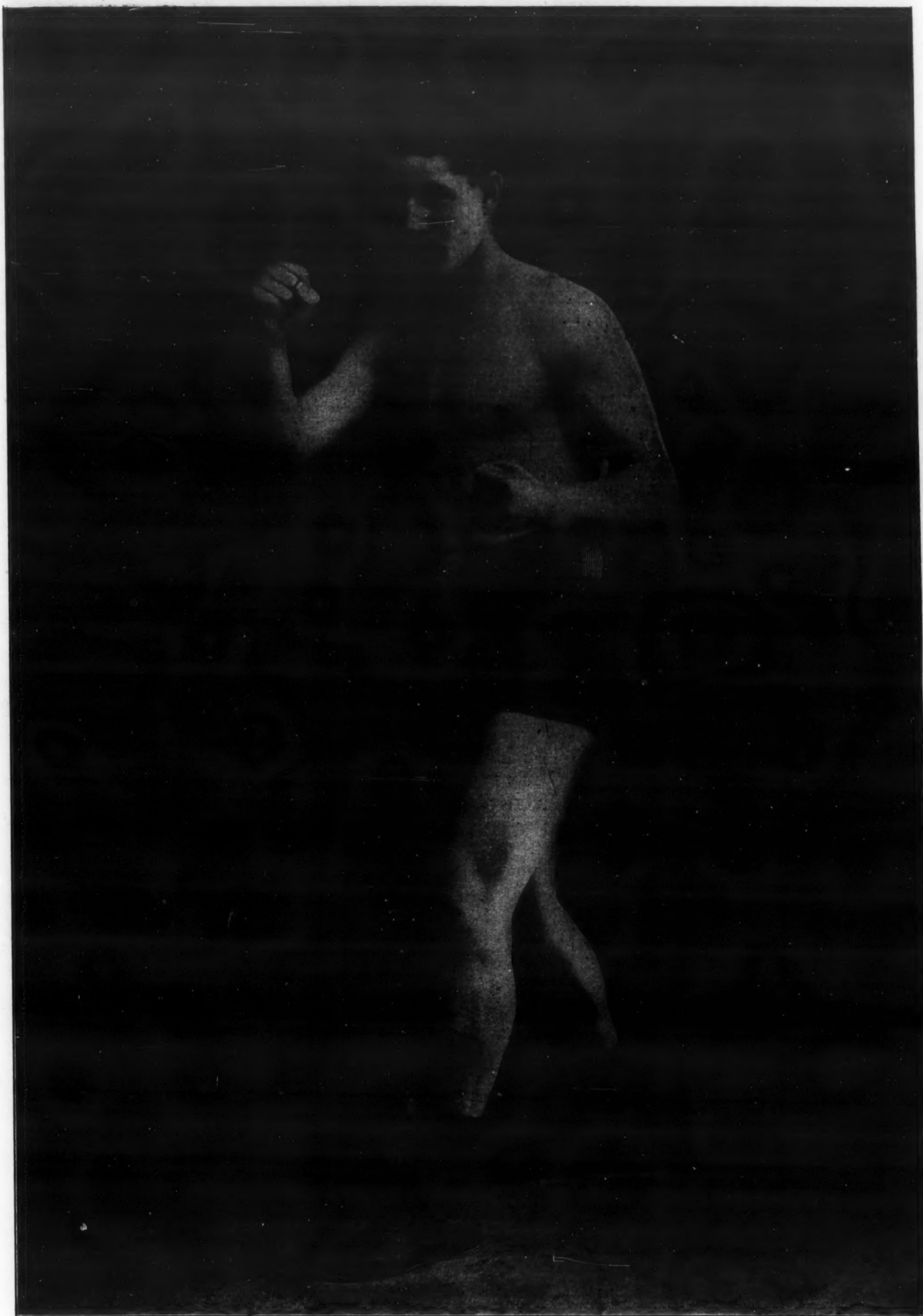
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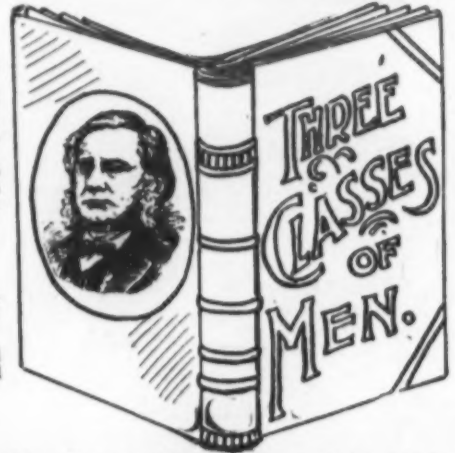
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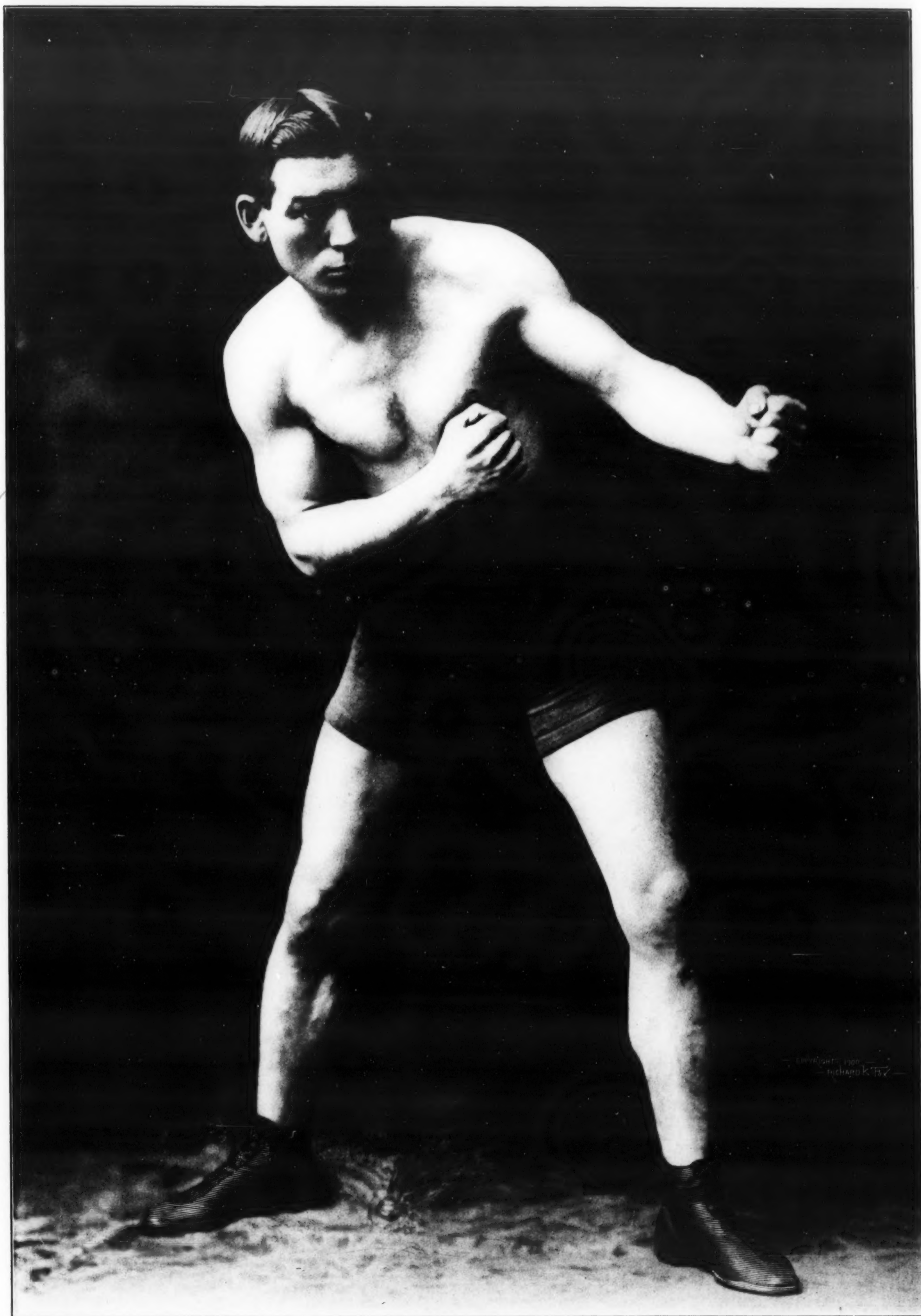
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